

MISSOURI HEALTH CARE RESPONSIBILITY REPORT

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Introduction

On November 27, 2006, Governor Matt Blunt signed Executive Order 06-45, directing the Missouri Department of Social Services (DSS) to prepare a Medicaid beneficiary employer report to be submitted to the Governor on a quarterly basis and to be known as the Missouri Health Care Responsibility Report.

In the 2007 legislative session, the Missouri General Assembly enacted Senate Bill 577, which transformed the Missouri Medicaid program into MO HealthNet (MHN). Section 208.230 of SB 577 is known as the "Public Assistance Beneficiary Employer Disclosure Act." It directs the Department of Social Services to prepare a MO HealthNet beneficiary employer report. The requirements of Section 208.230 and Executive Order 06-45 are virtually identical.

Data Confidentiality

The Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DOLIR) maintains a database of employers, employees, and wage information for the purpose of administration of the state unemployment compensation program. United States Department of Labor regulations (20 CFR 603) govern how such information can be used and under what circumstances the information can be made available to others. Federal regulations allow the disclosure of normally confidential information to public officials for use in their official duties, but do not allow public disclosure of confidential information. Therefore, without statutory changes, the report must be limited to non-identifiable data regarding individual employers. Wherever possible, DSS has used aggregated data to describe the employed population that receives MHN benefits and services.

A more detailed explanation of the methodology used to compile the report follows the summary data shown on the next two pages.

SUMMARY DATA MISSOURI HEALTH CARE RESPONSIBILITY REPORT July-September, 2011

Number of Employees and Family Members Included in the Report

A total of 484,406 MHN enrollees were employed during the quarter or were the spouse or child of an employed individual. However, only 190,336 of these are associated with an employer with 50 or more such individuals and are included in this report.

Percentage of Workforce

Six hundred and seventy two (672) companies were identified as employing fifty (50) or more individuals who either received MHN benefits or were responsible for a spouse or child who received such benefits. These companies employed a total of 887,779 individuals in the State of Missouri. The Department of Social Services identified 93,867 individuals who were MHN enrollees or were responsible for a family member who was enrolled in MHN. Therefore, 10.57% of the workforce of these companies received MHN benefits for themselves or their families.

Number of MHN Enrollees for Employers with Fifty or More Individuals

MHN Enrolled Employees (E)	49,154
Employees with MHN Enrolled Family Members (N)	44,713
Total Employees (E + N)	93,867
MHN Enrolled Spouses (S)	9,230
MHN Enrolled Children (C)	131,952
Total MHN Enrollees $(E + S + C)$	190,336

Insurance Coverage

Based on a survey of employers conducted by the MO HealthNet Division (MHD), 63% of the employers provide insurance for their full-time employees and their family members. As shown below, coverage for part-time employees was far less likely to be available.

Percentage of All				
Employers Surveyed	Full-Time	Part-Time		
Providing Coverage for:	Employees	Employees	Spouses	Children
Yes	64%	21%	63%	63%
No	4%	47%	5%	4%
Unknown	32%	32%	32%	33%

Cost to the State of Missouri

The total cost to date to the State of Missouri for providing MHN coverage to these employees and their family members was \$118 million during the quarter covered by the report.

HIPP Enrollees	704
HIPP Payments	\$170,457
Title XIX Cost	\$109,632,797
Title XXI Cost	\$8,168,848
Other Cost	\$80,082
Total Cost	\$118,052,184
Total MHN Enrollees $(E + S + C)$	190,336
Per Capita/PMPM Cost	\$207

It should be noted that receipt of MO HealthNet claims often lags for several months. Most bills are received and paid within six months. In order to capture as many claims as possible an updated report will be issued at the end of the following quarter.

Industry Sectors

The tables that follow break down the statewide data into industry sectors. Some employers are associated with more than one industry sector. Employees of the State of Missouri, for instance, are distributed across four sectors: Information, Educational Services, Health Care and Social Assistance, and Public Administration.

Methodology

The Department of Social Services formed a working team of representatives from the MO HealthNet Division (MHD); the Family Support Division (FSD); the Information Technology and Services Division (ITSD) of the Office of Administration (OA); the Research and Evaluation Section of the DSS Center for Management Information (DSS/R&E); and IFOX(now Wipro), the MHN claims administrator, to design, gather data, program, and produce the report. DSS also receives assistance and data from the Department of Labor and Industrial Relations (DOLIR), which maintains wage information on employed Missourians, and the Personnel Division of OA, which maintains state employee records.

Compiling the data for the report requires combining eligibility data from DSS; wage data from DOLIR; state employee data from OA; and MO HealthNet claims data from Wipro.

The steps in the process are outlined below:

• At the end of the quarter, DOLIR provides a computer file to FSD/FAMIS and ITSD that includes all wages paid during the quarter for each employee and identifying

information for the employer, including the number of employees for whom wages were paid by that employer during the quarter.

- FSD/FAMIS and ITSD match the wage file from DOLIR against DSS eligibility files to determine those employees who were eligible for MO HealthNet benefits at any time during the quarter and/or were responsible for a MO HealthNet eligible spouse or child. Since the DOLIR file contains only wage information and does not contain employment dates, DSS includes all individuals who received both wages and MHN benefits at any time during the quarter. (With respect to state employees, DSS takes the additional step of sending a file to the Division of Personnel in the Office of Administration to identify more precise employment dates.)
- FSD/FAMIS and ITSD add a code to the file for each individual. The code indicates if the individual is an employee who receives MO HealthNet benefits (E); an employee who does *not* receive MO HealthNet benefits, but is responsible for a spouse or child who does (N); an eligible spouse of an employed individual (S); or an eligible child of an employed individual (C). FSD/FAMIS and ITSD send both files to DSS/R&E.
- DSS/R&E combines the two files and eliminates all employees who work for employers that employ fewer than fifty (50) MO HealthNet beneficiaries or persons responsible for a MO HealthNet beneficiary.
- To determine the cost of MHN coverage, Wipro matches the file of employees against MO HealthNet claims and HIPP payment data. The total MHN cost includes Title XIX claims, Title XXI claims, and HIPP premium payments. (HIPP premium payments are made when a MO HealthNet enrollee has access to employer sponsored health insurance and it is more cost effective to pay the healthcare premium for the individual rather than to provide traditional MHN coverage. In such cases, the private insurance becomes the primary carrier. MHN is the secondary carrier and only pays for those services not covered by the primary carrier.)
- To obtain insurance information MHD conducts a telephone survey of all the employers included in the report.
- Limiting costs to services received within the same quarter in which wages were paid will understate costs in the initial quarterly report because of the inevitable lag between when services are delivered and when they are billed and paid. Based on historical data, approximately 85% of all claims are submitted and paid within three months from the date of service, while 93% are submitted and paid within six months. Therefore, DSS will save the data for each quarter's recipients and re-run the claims data at the end of the subsequent quarter in order to add payments made after the initial report was issued.
- DSS/R&E computes the per capita cost. The per capita cost is expressed in the report as a "per member, per month" (PMPM) cost. The PMPM cost is determined by

dividing the total cost (Title XIX, Title XXI, Other, and HIPP payments) by the number of MHN enrollees (E + S + C). The quarterly cost is then divided by three months in order to obtain a monthly cost.

• DSS/R&E compiles the report for publication.

Data that is Unavailable

There is no central source or database maintained by any agency of state government for three data elements that are required for the preparation of the Missouri Health Care Responsibility Report:

- whether the employer offers health insurance to its full-time and part-time employees and their dependents;
- the hours worked by the individual for each employer; and
- the employment dates for each individual for each employer.

DSS addressed the first by conducting a telephone survey requesting the information from all employers included in the report. The absence of the other two data elements prevents DSS from reporting whether or not individuals are employed full-time or part-time. It also prevents a direct correlation between dates of employment and MHN eligibility.

TABLE 1. WORKFORCE PARTICIPATION BY SECTOR CODES MISSOURI HEALTH CARE RESPONSIBILITY - JULY-SEPTEMBER 2011

Sector Name	Sector Codes	Missouri Workforce	MHN Enrolled Employees and Financially Responsible Employees (E+N)	Percentage of Workforce With an Employee and/or Family Member Enrolled in MHN		
Agriculture, Foresrty, Fishing, and Hunting	11	1,053	202	19.18%		
Construction	23	14,612	456	3.12%		
Manufacturing	31, 32, and 33	39,634	3,837	9.68%		
Wholesale Trade	42	1,777	216	12.16%		
Retail Trade	44 and 45	188,050	22,946	12.20%		
Transportation and Warehousing	48 and 49	15,622	1,538	9.85%		
Information	51	10,529	589	5.59%		
Finance and Insurance	52	21,278	1,216	5.71%		
Real Estate and Rental Leasing	53	2,799	498	17.79%		
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	54	4,495	678	15.08%		
Management of Companies and Enterprises	55	4,255	187	4.39%		
Administrative Support; Waste Management and Remediation Services	56	94,845	16,930	17.85%		
Educational Services	61	114,446	5,604	4.90%		
Health Care and Social Assistance	62	206,418	21,041	10.19%		
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	71	13,560	959	7.07%		
Accommodation and Food Services	72	96,215	15,479	16.09%		
Other Services (except Public Administration)	81	10,489	1,167	11.13%		
Public Administration	92	47,702	324	0.68%		
TOTAL		887,779	93,867	10.57%		

TABLE 2. PARTICIPANT COUNTS BY SECTOR CODES MISSOURI HEALTH CARE RESPONSIBILITY - JULY-SEPTEMBER 2011

Employees with MHN MHN **Enrolled** MHN MHN Sector Enrolled Family Total **Enrolled Enrolled Total MHN Sector Name** Codes **Employees** Children **Enrollees** Members **Employees Spouses** (N) (E + S + C)(E) (E + N)(S) (C) 47 Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting 11 97 105 202 252 396 142 314 456 67 Construction 23 635 844 31, 32, and 33 1,179 2,658 3,837 823 5,827 7,829 Manufacturing Wholesale Trade 42 126 90 216 21 299 446 12,426 10,520 22,946 2,366 30,041 44,833 Retail Trade 44 and 45 666 872 1,538 157 3,222 Transportation and Warehousing 48 and 49 2,399 Information 51 299 290 589 57 786 1,142 522 694 76 2,358 Finance and Insurance 52 1,216 1,760 232 266 498 1,023 53 65 Real Estate and Rental Leasing 726 385 293 678 80 1,372 Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services 54 907 55 81 106 187 30 251 362 Management of Companies and Enterprises 9,900 36,082 Administrative Support; Waste Management and Remediation Services 56 7,030 16,930 2,132 24,050 1,787 667 10,592 3.817 5.604 **Educational Services** 61 8,138 Health Care and Social Assistance 10,610 10,431 21,041 1,367 43,973 62 31,996 Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation 71 505 454 959 92 1,351 1,948 72 9,450 1,071 Accommodation and Food Services 6,029 15,479 20,425 30,946 626 85 Other Services (except Public Administration) 81 541 1.167 1,646 2,357 **Public Administration** 92 121 324 27 611 203 463

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Total

TABLE 3 - ACCESS TO INSURANCE BY SECTOR CODES
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	Sector	Sector Full-Time Coverage		Part-T	Part-Time Coverage			Spouse Coverage			Child(ren) Coverage		
Sector Name	Code	Yes	No	Unknown	Yes	No	Unknown	Yes	No	Unknown	Yes	No	Unknown
Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting	11	67%	0%	33%	0%	67%	33%	67%	0%	33%	67%	0%	33%
Construction	23	100%	0%	0%	50%	50%	0%	100%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%
Manufacturing	31,32,33	69%	6%	25%	3%	72%	25%	69%	6%	25%	69%	6%	25%
Wholesale Trade	42	50%	0%	50%	0%	50%	50%	50%	0%	50%	50%	0%	50%
Retail Trade	44,45	60%	1%	39%	16%	45%	40%	58%	1%	41%	58%	1%	41%
Transportation and Warehousing	48,49	82%	0%	18%	45%	36%	18%	82%	0%	18%	82%	0%	18%
Information	51	80%	0%	20%	20%	60%	20%	80%	0%	20%	80%	0%	20%
Finance and Insurance	52	70%	0%	30%	20%	50%	30%	70%	0%	30%	70%	0%	30%
Real Estate and Rental Leasing	53	67%	17%	17%	0%	83%	17%	67%	17%	17%	67%	17%	17%
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	54	67%	0%	33%	0%	67%	33%	67%	0%	33%	67%	0%	33%
Management of Companies and Enterprises	55	100%	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	100%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%
Administrative Support; Waste Management and Remediation Services	56	53%	9%	38%	23%	38%	39%	53%	9%	38%	53%	9%	38%
Education Services	61	85%	0%	15%	26%	59%	15%	85%	0%	15%	85%	0%	15%
Health Care and Social Assistance	62	69%	4%	27%	23%	49%	28%	65%	7%	28%	66%	6%	28%
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation	71	55%	0%	45%	9%	45%	45%	55%	0%	45%	55%	0%	45%
Accommodation and Food Services	72	57%	3%	40%	27%	34%	40%	58%	2%	40%	58%	2%	40%
Other Services (except Public Administration)	81	83%	0%	17%	17%	67%	17%	83%	0%	17%	83%	0%	17%
Public Administration	92	50%	0%	50%	0%	50%	50%	50%	0%	50%	50%	0%	50%
Total		64%	4%	32%	21%	47%	32%	63%	5%	32%	63%	4%	33%

TABLE 4. PARTICIPANT COSTS BY SECTOR CODES MISSOURI HEALTH CARE RESPONSIBILITY - JULY-SEPTEMBER 2011

							Total Cost	Total MHN	
	Sector	HIPP	HIPP	Title XIX	Title XXI	Other	(XIX, XXI, HIPP &	Enrollees	РМРМ
Sector Name	Codes	Enrollees	Payments	Cost	Cost	Cost	Other)	(E + S + C)	Cost
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Agriculture, Forestry Fishing, and Hunting	11	0	\$0	\$256,073	\$11,032	\$0	\$267,104	396	\$225
Construction	23	14	\$5,075	\$448,183	\$101,465	\$57	\$554,781	844	\$219
Manufacturing	31, 32, and 33	59	\$9,152	\$3,402,758	\$306,475	\$2,752	\$3,721,137	7,829	\$158
Wholesale Trade	42	5	\$513	\$300,462	\$22,269	\$0	\$323,244	446	\$242
Retail Trade	44 and 45	138	\$25,507	\$25,446,663	\$1,776,249	\$18,229	\$27,266,648	44,833	\$203
Transportation and Warehousing	48 and 49	5	\$758	\$1,701,673	\$194,346	\$3,233	\$1,900,009	3,222	\$197
Information	51	3	\$3,504	\$530,567	\$46,794	\$864	\$581,729	1,142	\$170
Finance and Insurance	52	36	\$12,650	\$940,090	\$170,414	\$1,297	\$1,124,451	2,358	\$159
Real Estate and Rental Leasing	53	5	\$4,937	\$509,348	\$55,288	\$12	\$569,584	1,023	\$186
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services	54	20	\$4,425	\$840,429	\$40,653	\$81	\$885,588	1,372	\$215
Management of Companies and Enterprises	55	6	\$1,017	\$184,816	\$37,678	\$0	\$223,511	362	\$206
Administrative Support; Waste Management and Remediation Services	56	35	\$12,419	\$20,074,060	\$909,406	\$6,794	\$21,002,678	36,082	\$194
Educational Services	61	35	\$7,362	\$4,117,022	\$745,808	\$5,427	\$4,875,620	10,592	\$153
Health Care and Social Assistance	62	198	\$50,249	\$29,466,201	\$2,341,566	\$12,236	\$31,870,251	43,973	\$242
Arts, Entertaiment, and Recreation	71	0	\$0	\$1,052,814	\$98,061	\$9	\$1,150,884	1,948	\$197
Accommodation and Food Services	72	15	\$3,174	\$17,618,518	\$890,609	\$9,573	\$18,521,874	30,946	\$200
Other Services (except Public Administration)	81	9	\$2,171	\$1,233,516	\$120,490	\$1,000	\$1,357,177	2,357	\$192
Public Administration	92	121	\$27,543	\$1,509,604	\$300,246	\$18,520	\$1,855,913	611	\$1,013
Total		704	\$170,457	\$109,632,797	\$8,168,848	\$80,082	\$118,052,184	190,336	\$207